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APPLICATION OF)
FRÉDÉRIC GUÉRIN) GROUP NO.: 1796
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/589,763) EXAMINER: ROBERTO RABAGO
FILED: APRIL 3, 2008) CONFIRMATION NO.: 9671
TITLE: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION)
OF LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT)
HYDROGENATED NITRILE RUBBER)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sirs:

In response to the Office Action dated September 19, 2008 in the above identified application, it is respectfully requested that the presently claimed invention be reconsidered in view of the following amendments and remarks. Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Commissioner for Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing this Response so that the Amendment and Response filed herewith will be considered timely filed.

Amendment to the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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